

LOG 235B

Performance Based Logistics, Part B

Performance Based Logistics, Part B, provides a dynamic group-based and facilitated learning environment where the student develops the logistics competencies introduced in LOG 235A. The student will acquire tools and techniques required to design, develop, and implement performance-based support at the system, subsystem, or commodity level in new acquisition and legacy systems. It challenges the student to think critically and differentiate among support alternatives and provide solutions that ensure the early integration of performance-based product support in the system development process. These skills are refined by instructor-facilitated student group exercises and discussions.

Objectives: Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

- apply skills introduced in the LOG 235A distance learning phase through case-based learning in a small group environment;
- perform proficiently as members of the life cycle logistics workforce;
- apply their knowledge of the concepts, policies, and practices of Performance Based Logistics (PBL);
- identify the relationship between logistics functions and processes;
- understand the basic concepts of business case analysis and its application in assessing and determining potential performance-based support alternatives;
- understand the role and integration of PBL in the logistics transformation environment; and
- successfully apply the knowledge and understanding in the context of a performance-based support strategy.

Who Should Attend: LOG 235B is for military officers, O-3 and above; civilians, GS-9 and above; and industry equivalents who are Level I certified in Life Cycle Logistics. Students should have 2 to 4 years of acquisition and/or logistics experience.

Prerequisites: LOG 201B and LOG 235A (It is recommended that students have life cycle logistics experience and be currently assigned, or expected to be assigned, to a life cycle logistics position.)

Length: 5 class days

Method of Delivery: Resident/Local

PDS Code: RGY



LOG 304

Advanced Life Cycle Logistics Management

Advanced Life Cycle Logistics Management prepares the acquisition and sustainment life cycle logistician to perform in executive-level logistics management and policy-making positions. Students are required to conduct research and perform critical thinking in a small group decision-making environment. Students engage in dynamic, fast-paced case study exercises addressing complex relationships in life cycle logistics support planning, acquisition policy, capabilities analysis, program management, performance-based logistics, and business case analysis.

Objectives: Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

- serve as proactive, credible, and influential life cycle logisticians;
- distinguish the life cycle logistician's functions during each phase of the life cycle;
- evaluate the components of, and life cycle logistician's role in, the systems engineering process;
- analyze and integrate major acquisition and sustainment policy requirements from the executive-level logistics perspective; and
- understand the integration of life cycle logistics processes with the operational tenets of Defense transformation.

Who Should Attend: This course is for Level II certified Life Cycle Logisticians who are military officers, O-4 and above, or DoD civilians, GS-13 and above, and industry counterparts.

Prerequisite: LOG 235B

Precourse Material: Precourse assignment materials will be provided via the Internet prior to students attending the class. Students will receive instructions on how to access these materials. All students will submit and brief an executive-level, contemporary logistics topic during the course. It is strongly recommended that students complete the preparation of this assignment prior to attending class.

Length: 9 class days

Method of Delivery: Resident/Local

PDS Code: AH1

